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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF CHAPARRAL CITY WATER COMPANY, INC., AN ARIZONA CORPORATION, FOR A DETERMINATION OF THE FAIR VALUE OF ITS UTILITY PLANT AND PROPERTY AND

FOR INCREASES IN ITS RATES AND CHARGES FOR UTILITY SERVICE BASED THEREON.

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STAFF'S REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

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The July 24, 2008 Procedural Order in this matter set a series of procedural and filing dates, including the filing of Staff's direct testimony at 4:00 p.m. on September 30, 2008. Staff hereby respectfully requests a brief extension of time for the filing of its direct testimony until noon on October 3, 2008, and that subsequent procedural dates be modified according to the schedule below.

A medical emergency has arisen regarding a member of Staff, and due to these unforeseen circumstances, Staff is in need of additional time to file its Direct Testimony. Staff has conferred with counsel for Chaparral City Water Company ("CCWC") regarding a brief extension of time until October 3, 2008 at noon, in which to file the Staff's Direct Testimony. Counsel for CCWC has agreed to this brief extension of time, subject to the following extensions of all subsequent due dates:

21	October 3, 2008, noon	Staff's Direct Testimony Due
22	October 31, 2008, 4 p.m.	CCWC's Rebuttal Testimony Due
23	November 20, 2008, 4 p.m.	Staff's Surrebuttal Testimony Due
24	December 4, 2008, 4 p.m.	CCWC's Rejoinder Testimony Due
25	December 5, 2008, 2 p.m.	Pre-Hearing Conference
26	December 8, 2008, 10 a.m.	Hearing Commences

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1 Staff has also communicated this information to the remaining parties [RUCO and Pacific 2 Life Insurance Company ("Pacific Life")]. RUCO does not object to the request for an extension, but 3 has not communicated with Staff about the proposed schedule. Intervenor Pacific Life has not 4 commented. 5 In light of the above, Staff requests the extension of time for filing its testimony until October 6 3, 2008 and subsequent procedural dates to be modified accordingly. 7 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 30th day of September, 2008. 8 9 10 11 Robin Mitchell, Staff Attorney Amanda Ho, Staff Attorney 12 Arizona Corporation Commission 1200 West Washington Street Phoenix, Arizona 85007 13 14 15 Original and thirteen (13) copies of the foregoing filed this 30th day of 16 September, 2008 with: 17 **Docket Control** Arizona Corporation Commission 19 1200 West Washington Phoenix, AZ 85007 20 Copies of the foregoing hand delivered/mailed this 30th day of September, 2008 to: 21 22 Teena Wolfe Administrative Law Judge 23 **Hearing Division** Arizona Corporation Commission 1200 W. Washington 24 Phoenix, AZ 85007 25 Norman D. James Jav L. Shapiro 26 **FENNMORE CRAIG** 3003 North Central Ave, Suite 2600 27

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